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DIARY NOTES

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12 June 1957

1. Jim Garrison reported that the Director's new Cadillac would be delivered on 30 June and that it would take six or seven days thereafter to make the necessary modifications. He said that someone had suggested that we give the old car to General Cabell. I told him that if this were the case we would not have been justified in buying the new one and requested that he dispose of the old vehicle as surplus to our needs.

2. At the Project Review Committee Meeting [REDACTED] "System II" Project was approved. The Committee recognized that this was an interim measure and appeared eager to have the AS-5 System--which [REDACTED] has in process--pushed with all possible speed. I have determined that we can finance this. It will cost about \$725,000. I have requested [REDACTED] to prepare the necessary papers with all haste and to submit them to the Secretary of the Project Review Committee. Have also asked [REDACTED] the Committee Secretary, to handle the Project by lateral vote slip inasmuch as it has already been discussed with the Committee.

3. At our weekly Staff Meeting Shef Edwards mentioned that frequently there were items on the agenda of the Intelligence Advisory Committee Meetings which were of interest to Support components but that the Support Offices found out about them only by chance. I agreed that we would set up some system in the immediate Office of the DD/S to screen these agenda and to keep DD/S components advised of the items which concerned them.

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4. [REDACTED] reports that he has had a talk with [REDACTED] who is interested in becoming Deputy Chief of the Commercial Staff. As had been previously agreed, I told Bob that we would mention the matter to [REDACTED] before proceeding further.

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5. Had lunch with [REDACTED] and talked to him about the investigation of charges made against him by [REDACTED] which I had just completed. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

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